

## **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

This invention relates to an apparatus and a process for the retrieval of alternative data in the case of a faulty request by a client on a server in a network (such as the internet). Included is a network interface (12) which enables the stream of data between a client (11) and server (20) to be analysed. The network interface (12) has a processing unit (18) which checks the traffic of data in the case of a faulty request by the client. The error messages from the server will be blocked and replaced by alternative data, based on the nature of the search. This alternative data (19) will then be sent to the client (11) by the network interface (12).

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